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Good Times and Better Coming.

THE CRY OF HARD TIMES NEVER BOTHERS US FOR

Our Prices Always Make Trade.



Anybody Can Buy at Our Prices

WE ARE RECEIVING
The Greatest Line of

CLOTHING BOOTS SHOES and HATS EVER BEFORE SHOWN
In This County

Get our Prices, they ALWAYS knock our Competitors out.

PIERCE-YANDELL GUGENHEIM CO.

INCORPORATED

The election comes November 7.

The charges of forgery against John Feland, Jr., were not sustained by the court.

The school teachers will "stick in a thumb and pull out a plum" about next Saturday.

Some of the candidates appear to have predilections for a "still hunt." As the election approaches, let us hope that nobody will take the other horn of the dilemma and "hunt a still."

Miss Mina Wheeler is making a fine impression wherever she speaks. Her style of speaking is charming, and then she has sensible things to say and says them in a sensible way.

Prospective candidates for Judge Bennett's place on the Appellate bench are plentiful, notwithstanding the election is more than a year off. As the old Judge is going into the fight again, the probabilities are that a majority of the aspirations will never get beyond the embryo state.

Of course Dr. Debo did not have time to make speeches over the district, being detained at home by the duties of his office. It is true that he spent a few days at the Caldwell county fair last week, but that was solely to see the big potatoes, the premium pumpkin, and the pretty swine and bovine used in the Superintendent's office.

According to the Russellville Herald-Enterprise John S. Rhea is not giving the Logan county Democratic nominee for the Legislature an enthusiastic support, because the nominee is not pledged against Lindsay for the Senate. Things do not always go as John wants them, but when the hard work of the home stretch of a campaign is to be done, John is always there.

Some days ago the Commissioner to whom the matter was referred reported that, instead of the Mason & Fonda Co., owing the State, the State owned the Company several thousand dollars. The Franklin Circuit Court has heard the report of its Commissioner and adjusted matters different. The Court says the Company owes the State \$14,000. The case now goes to the Court of Appeals.

Some of the physicians of the State are criticizing the arrangement for granting certificates entitling them to practice. There are about 3000 physicians in the State, and each must send \$2.00 to Mr. Secretary McCormick, before a certificate permitting them to practice is obtainable. Twice \$3000 amounts to \$6000, and if properly written in this instance, it must have the popular \$ as a prefix. What is to become of the \$6000? It is to be used in enforcing the law. In most cases the officers of each county undertake the enforcement of the law, and a large per cent of the cost comes out of the pocket of those who violate the statutory provisions. This new order of things very naturally attracts attention, and calls for a report showing how the money was spent. Of course, in due time, the Secretary of the State Board of Health will show where the money was very necessary to enforce the law.

Elder S. S. Beaver, of McAllisterville, Juniata Co., Pa., says his wife is subject to cramp in the stomach. Last summer she tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for it, and was much pleased with the speedy relief it afforded. She has since used it whenever necessary and found that it never fails. For sale by Moore & Orme.

THE OLD SETTLERS

The Names of Those Who Broke the Primal Forest of Crittenden.

When They Come, Where They Settled.

EDITOR PRESS:—I promised that I would complete my contribution to your paper this week, concerning the men who formed the county from a wilderness. My list is of course not complete. These are those I am unable to call to mind, or to learn of, but those I have mentioned should be remembered. No history of the country would be complete without them. While they are not all heroes in the modern sense, they had the hardihood to come to an unbroken wilderness, and the result of their coming is the proud old county of Crittenden.

The Wheelers, John, Henry and James came from South Carolina in 1796; John settled the place now owned by Frank Paris, and Henry settled the place known as the John M. Wilson farm in 1805; and in 1805, James Wheeler settled the place where his descendant, Isaac Wheeler now lives. All of the Wheelers were strict Presbyterians; they brought slaves with them.

Willis Rals from S. C. in 1806 settled near Aaron Towery's.

John Simpson, from South Carolina in 1802, settled on a part of the Aaron Towery farm, and sold it to William Babb, who came from North Carolina in 1806. Babb was a strong Baptist.

Wm Baldwin came from Virginia in 1804, settled near Piney Bluff.

Thos Bradburn, from North Carolina in 1806, settled on Tradewater.

John and Isaac Furgerson, from North Carolina in 1804, was what were then known as a squatters.

Frederic Imboden came from Va. in 1802, and settled near where Aaron Towery lives.

James Walden from North Carolina in 1806.

John Lacey, from South Carolina in 1804, settled on Tradewater, near Henry Land's.

Edward Kemp, from South Carolina, settled on Piney near the iron bridge.

In 1795 Henry Land, came from North Carolina and settled where Jus- tice Hoad now lives.

Arther, Francis and John Travis came from South Carolina in 1800, settled what is now known as the Cul- len Travis place. Arther was in the revolutionary war; John was a preacher and a doctor, and was the first man to preach Methodism in the county.

Grissom Coffield, from North Carolina in 1798, settled the place known as the Isaac Coffield farm.

Daniel, John, William, and Thomas Daniel came from South Carolina in 1794, Daniel settled the place where Copers Springs School House now stands; John settled the Geo Green place. Wm settled what is known as the Hare place.

Samuel Foster from South Carolina in 1805 settled the farm where Francis Jacob lives.

John Blakey from South Carolina in 1800. He was a noted gun smith and afterwards did good service in the war of 1812.

Stephen Fowler came from South Carolina in 1802 or 3 and settled the place on Crooked Creek where James Fowler lived and died.

William, Solomon and Alx Clark came in 1802 or 3. William was a revolutionary soldier. Alx settled at the Salt Petry cave on Piney, and made powder.

Samuel, Ira and John Nunn came from South Carolina in 1801 or 2. John settled the place near where

William Tudor lives. Samuel settled on Tradewater on the place now owned by Thomas Crider; Ira settled near what is now the poor house. They brought slaves with them.

Wm Stewart came from South Carolina between 1800 and 1806 and settled the place now owned by Gus Stewart; he was a revolutionary soldier.

Wm Cain came from South Carolina about the same time and settled where Jos Newcomb now lives.

Job Truitt came from South Carolina in 1803, and settled near the poor house farm; he was a revolutionary soldier.

Samuel Porter, from South Carolina in 1804, settled near Sugar Grove church.

Eliah Porter, from South Carolina in 1804, settled near where Repton now is; he brought slaves.

Wm Phillips from South Carolina in 1806, and settled the place where Eph Hill now lives. He built a horse mill, covered his house with shingles, fastened down with wooden now is; he brought slaves.

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Wm Phillips from South Carolina in 1806, and settled the place where Eph Hill now lives. He built a horse

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ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

F. M. Clement is the Democratic nominee for the Legislature. He will appreciate your vote and influence.

We are authorized to announce ISAAC LINLEY a candidate for the Legislature, to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky. Election November 1893.

FOR THE SENATE.

We are authorized to announce S. O. NUNN a candidate for the State Senate in the district composed of the counties of Crittenden, Caldwell and Webster, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce MISS MINA WHEELER a candidate for Superintendent of the Public Schools of Crittenden County. She will appreciate your vote and influence.

If a man taxes himself a \$1,000 to buy a farm; and invests his money in farm worth \$1,000, he certainly is not poorer with the farm than with the money. His condition in the one instance is as good as his situation in the other. If he needs the farm more than he needs the money, the exchange has been to his advantage.

What is true of the man and the farm is true of a community and a school. Marion needs a school, she has money and is amply able to exchange the money for the school, if each man will furnish his proportion of the money. The fairest and the surest way to proportion the expense among ourselves is to vote a tax, and have each man pay according to his ability. The richer man the more dollars, the poorer man the fewer dollars, and the man who has not been fortunate enough to accumulate any of this world's goods, only a poll-tax. The richer man is not burdened because he has plenty to pay with, and the poor man need not groan because he is not charged much. Each makes his small investment towards benefiting the community in which we all live, and which we all desire to see prosper, because it is ours. This tax is not to be levied to make a present to some potentate, nor subsidies some corporation, nor to pay for the pyrotechnics of some shake-down that will be forgotten before frost. It is for a solid institution, one that will add to the business of the town and to the character of the community. Its benefits will be set before every man. Let us get together in this matter, and give Marion a long push up the hill of prosperity.

The little strike on the O. V. is worrying Marion to a considerable extent, even when the freight trains only are suspended. Five years of experience has convinced the village that railroads are pretty convenient tricks, even if this is the first year we have had an opportunity to pay off some of those railroad bonds. While we have not paid the tax with blackberries, if the inconveniences of the strike are not shortly dispensed with, we will fill the road with our abundant stock of carmine polk berries.

The Attorney General of the State thinks that the law is just opening saloons on election day means the entire twenty-four hours of that day, beginning at 12 o'clock the night before, others claim that it means only the hours during which the polls are open. The matter has been submitted to the Court of Appeals, and you may safely wager a nickel against three drops of election day cider, that there are not a few people interested in the decision.

Yellow fever is increasing at Brunswick, Ga.

Joint debates appear to be things of the past in Crittenden county politics.

County Judge Moore made a pretty strong plea for an increase in salary, but the magistrates were inexorable. There is no question but what the work of the County Judge is much greater now than a few years ago.

Kentucky may think that her convicts are troublesome, but Tennessee has paid out \$213,000 for guarding her stripes in the coal mining region of the State.

A DESTRUCTIVE STORM.

Hundreds of Lives Lost in Louisiana and Alabama.

New Orleans, Oct. 3.—A terrible storm struck New Orleans late Sunday night, coming from the northeast, and raged here all night and part of yesterday, sweeping to the South from here along the line of the Mississippi river, through the parish of Plaquemine, to the Gulf.

The storm was one of the worst which ever visited this part of the country, and as far as can be learned,

New Orleans, Oct. 3.—The storm of yesterday has passed, and although the wires are still down, bits of intelligence continue to come from various places, which impart the information that the loss of life, to say nothing of the destruction of property, is tremendous.

From Bayou Cook, the great oyster field, which leads to the Gulf, it is reported that the settlements have been completely demolished and that the loss of life has reached the appalling figure of 200.

The news from the low land of Alabama indicate that the loss of life in that section is great.

CALDWELL COUNTY NEWS.

Law Suits Filed—A Justifiable Killing.

[From the Banner.]

More than half a dozen law suits have been filed in the circuit law office in the past week. The most important action is that of H. M. Jones and others vs C W Metcalfe and others. The petition states that the plaintiffs endorsed for the defendants in the Citizens Bank of Princeton for \$6000. They paid the debt after the bank had got judgement, which had been transferred to them. The suit is to secure sale of the property of the defendant at the crossing of the Cadiz road and the C O and S W railroad.

Mrs Fannie Malone sues Harvey Malone for a divorce. She alleges that they were married in 1891, and that the defendant abandoned her without fault on her part and has failed and refused to live with or provide for her. She asks for an absolute divorce.

The examining trial of John Torian for the killing of John Standard was held at the court-house Saturday afternoon. The evidence was the same that is adduced at the coroner's inquest, and was to the effect that Standard was trying to shoot Torian, but the latter had the better pistol and got a shot first and saved his own life by taking Standard's. Torian was dismissed without day.

MURDER AT PADUCAH.

Yesterday Morning Murray Gilbert Shoots and Kills Officer Smith.

Paducah, Ky., Oct. 3.—This morning at 2:30 o'clock on West Court Murray Gilbert, the third son of Judge L. C. Gilbert, shot and killed Calvin Smith, a policeman.

The weapon used was a Winchester rifle, and Smith was shot in the back near the shoulder blade. The ball passed entirely through him. Smith lived but ten minutes.

About 1 o'clock Smith and Police-man Seaman had arrested Gilbert for flouring a pistol while intoxicated in a disreputable house in the immediate locality of the shooting.

When taken to the station the captain of the night force disarmed Gilbert and told him to go home. He refused to do so, saying he had it in for the policeman.

Smith leaves a wife and mother, the latter at McKenzie, Tenn., whence he came.

People Party Meeting.

The committee of the People's Party will meet in Marion on Monday, Oct. 9 (County Court). A full meeting of the committee are requested, as there will be important business to transact.

There never has been a more auspicious time in the history of the People's Party for a general revival of interest and enthusiasm.

Yesterday morning the company made an attempt to unload the stock which has been in the cars several days without any food or water, but the strike prevented. Later the strikers volunteered themselves to unload the stock and the proposition was accepted.

Yesterday morning the company

and the Democratic party are

disgusted and humiliated at the disgraceful scramble for spoils now going on among its leaders. They were told from every Democratic stamp in the south and west that if the Democratic

party should be placed in control of

the Government, free silver and

reduction of taxation should be forth-

coming at once.

No train was attempted to be moved

from this place yesterday, but a freight

train was coming at once.

The Court of Claims continues to

spend money. It money is not to

spend what is it for?

started from Princeton. It was stopped at the bridge by the strikers, and the brakemen ran away from the train. The train was set out at Sturgis and the engine and caboose brought into Henderson.

Men were taken to Evansville yesterday to work as brakemen, but we have not heard with what result.

The south-bound O. V. passenger came in very late last night, it is inferred, from some reason connected with the strike.

W. H. Brown, Cinc'n.

J. D. Hodge, Sec'y.

CANARY BIRDS.

The Different Varieties as Distinguished in European Countries.

About three hundred and fifty years ago, when the Spaniards discovered the islands in the Atlantic which people then called the Fortunate Isles, but which were undoubtedly the Canaries, went ashore on the coast of Italy, near Leghorn. A cage of beautiful birds, captured in those islands, was broken and the birds were liberated. Through some caprice, they did not take refuge on the Italian mainland, but went to the island of Elba, where in due time they nested and bred and increased in numbers. The Italians discovered that these birds were of great value, so they captured them and sold them in Italy. This gave rise to a traffic which soon completely cleared the island of Elba of "canary birds," so that not one was left there in a wild state.

From that time the history of the canary bird has been a record of perpetual imprisonment and of the transformation of his appearance and character. He has become what we may well call an artificial bird. Every year he has produced a canary of a special type.

In their natural state, as they still exist in the Canary and Madeira and other Atlantic islands, the birds are of a grayish green or greenish brown color, are not remarkable for beauty, but they are such exceeding energetic singers that they have been known to burst the membranes of their throat in piping forth their song.

Now and then birds are taken in a wild state and sold for gold in Europe and America. But the ordinary canary of to-day is a offspring of captive stock, and has been greatly modified by breeding. Canaries have, moreover, been crossed with finches, finches and other birds, until their real race is uncertain.

Canaries are now known as "French," "Belgian," "English," "Tyrolese," and so on according to the forms and colors that have been produced in them. The Belgian canaries are the most beautiful and the long—the wild canary is never more than five and are remarkable for the elegance of their form and their rich orange color. French canaries are light in color, some of them which are entirely white.

The German and Tyrolese, on the other hand breed more for beauty of song than of plumage. Many of their birds have reverted to the original greenish brown color; but their powers of song have been developed in a high degree by selection and training. Many of them have been trained by being put in the dark in the hearing of nightingales, to imitate those wonderful singers.

For hundreds of these Tyrolese singers a fearful fate is reserved. They are sold to gin shop keepers in England, who keep them suspended above their bars to make their places "cheerful" and attract custom. In the atmosphere of such a den the bird languishes and dies.

The "English" bird, so called, is not remarkable for song, but for plumage. To esteem it highly, it must have a head and body of bright orange, while its wings and tail must be black. A single "wrong" feather will diminish the value of the bird.

Exhibitions of canaries are regularly held in Syltland, Paris, London, and no canary has a chance of winning a prize unless it is properly marked with blue, white, and yellow.

The production of such a great amount of canaries, and is attained only by infinite care.

Many books have been written about the canary and several cases in which birds have been taught to "talk" have been duly recorded. In all these cases, it is fair to suppose, the talking is more or less inarticulate, and requires to be helped out with the imagination of the listeners.

A bird in London, named Titchie, which had been neglected from its birth, was trained, and was taught entirely by human voice, to sing "Dear, sweet Titchie, kiss Minnie, kiss! kiss! kiss!"

The same bird was taught to whistle clearly the first three bars of "God Save the Queen." This, though an unusual accomplishment, is not extremely rare among canaries, finches, linnets and other birds—YOUTH'S Companion.

HOW FROGS HIBERNATE.

The State of Our Cold-Blooded Friends While in Winter Quarters.

As to their condition during the winter season, our cold-blooded friends pass the time in a comfortable way, in a state of torpor called hibernation.

The frog selected seems anything but comfortable—sitting in the mud in the margin or bottom of a pond. Hibernation is a state of entire or partial torpor. It seems like sleep, but is proved to be not really the same. In torpor, the breathing, circulation of the blood, digestion, are almost entirely stopped; but in sleep all go on.

An animal is awakened from sleep by more jostling; while in complete torpor it will not be roused, even if subjected to extreme bodily pain.

As to the frog, when he goes to sleep, he takes up a position with his body for that purpose. This is another method for meeting privation which our amphibious friends share with the camel, whose humps are little else but stores of fat.

As to diet, the general rule is that frogs eat, or are eaten by, almost everything. Slugs, water-bugs, grasshoppers, and other insects are specially relished.

There is a peculiar arrangement for catching insects. The tongue is hung by the outer instead of the inner end, so as to flap forward and back like a flash, and entrap its prey.

It happens that insects, curiously enough, disappear for the winter and reappear in the spring at just the times when the frogs hibernate and come out again.

Bullfrogs indulge also in small fish, field-mice and ducklings. They will often eat their own tadpoles. While in captivity they learn to eat almost any food given them.—St. Nicholas.

FARM FOR SALE.

207 1/2 acres 8 miles South-west of Marion on Claylick Creek 100 acres a good state of cultivation; 80 acres of grass and clover; 60 acres of bottom, the farm well improved, good fencing, plenty of stock water, young orchard, toolshed, one tenant house, three stables, two stock barns and other buildings necessary for conveniences.

Terms \$2,000 down, the balance in three equal payments one due in 12 months from date, one in two years and one in three years. The note bearing 6 per cent from date with a loan on the land until purchase money is paid. Apply to W. A. Lewis on the farm.

The Last Warning.

We have several times called your attention to the fact that we need what you owe us. We have now indulged you as long as you can reasonably expect, at any rate we have waited as long as we can. We need the money to pay our debts and must have it at once, unless you can immediately and settle we will be forced to collect by law and thereby put you to additional expense. A prompt settlement now will save you money,

Yours Truly,

PIERCE & SON.

A Card.

Having sold my stock of goods, and

retired from active business, I must

wind up my affairs, therefore to all

who owe me, I desire to say that you

must settle with me. I am not si-

tuated that I can delay this matter,

these things must be attended to at

once. I write this in all earnestness,

and trust that those to whom it is ad-

dressed will so understand and respond

without other notice.

J. N. Woods.

FOR SALE.

228 acres—100 acres cleared; 30

acres in clover and grass. Plenty of

good timber; good house and barn,

good orchard and plenty of water.

Four miles north of Marion, in a

good neighborhood, near school

house. If you want a farm, come and

see for yourself. Price low. Will

sell growing crop and stock.

Jas. B. Gill.

Marion, Ky.

FOR SALE.—A mare and two

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LOCAL NEWS.

See the sale notices.
Timothy seed at Pierce & Son.
J. H. Walker is on the sick list.
Ten dollars to the World's Fair.
See Cook & Garrity for your photos.

A little child of Thos. Daniels is very ill.
Buy your window glass from H. K. Woods.

H. K. Woods is still selling school books and supplies.

R. F. Haynes has gone to market for new goods.

Crittenden Post G. A. R. held its monthly meeting yesterday.

New Goods and New Prices at S. D. Hodge & Co.

Miss Sallie Browning is on the sick list this week.

For Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes go to S. D. Hodge & Co.

If you want a town lot, or house and lot, see R. C. Walker.

Henry Wood's line of books is complete in every branch.

Wheat drills cheaper than anybody, Marion Hardware Co.

We have just received a fine lot of country bacon. Thomas Bros.

Thos. Evans, the Hardware King of Salem, spent yesterday in Marion.

Best coal oil 10 and 15 cents.

M. Schwab.

See S. D. Hodge & Co., Stock of Dress Goods, and trimmings to match.

Any size window glass you wish from 8x10 to 24x36 at H. K. Woods.

Don't forget Thomas Bros., have fresh bread every morning and evening.

Dress Goods, Dress Goods, of the latest shades and colors at S. D. Hodge & Co.

Wm Benton was tried Monday and fined \$2.50 for participating in an affray at Dycusburg.

Assistant Assessor J. F. Flanary was just seven days listing the property in Fords Ferry precinct.

When buying goods remember S. D. Hodge & Co. Extra inducements, call and see them.

You can save 25cts on the dollar by buying your shoes at the St. Louis Racket Store.

A new supply of shoes just received at the St. Louis Racket Store and every pair at a great bargain.

Our stock of dress goods is now complete. You will find it to your interest to give us a look before buying. S. D. Hodge & Co.

W. B. Wilborn, of Fords Ferry, was in town Monday, to attend the A. O. U. W. lodge. This lodge has several members in the Fords Ferry neighborhood.

The Marion Opera Company, will, on next Friday evening give a Musical Entertainment for the benefit of both the Methodist and Presbyterian Sunday Schools. All come it will be something nice. Admission, 15, 20, and 30 cents.

R. F. Haynes, jr., has purchased of J. H. Morse the J. N. Woods stock of dry goods, and will continue business at the old stand. Mr. Haynes at present lives at Caseyville. He is a sterling business man.

Last week the engine of the Marion Roller Mills was disabled, and a portion of it had to be shipped to Evansville. Monday steam was raised and the poplar millers are again running at full capacity. This mill has been of great advantage to Marion; it brings people from many miles.

Mr. Arch Crossen, of Livingston, was in town Monday. Among the things that he took home with him was a fine game chicken cock—a present from City Attorney Flanary. A ch has been fighting the Democratic rooster for a long time, and his many Democratic friends are glad that he is going to cultivate a closer acquaintance of the noble bird; the specimen he took home is fit to head his ticket in November.

The recent rains and the lingering of the fine warm weather has had a buoyant effect on our farmers. Here of the sample of the way they were talking Monday: "Pastures are coming out splendidly, tobacco is more promising than at any previous time this year. In two miles of me there are 100,000 pounds of fine growing tobacco; I am feeling better." A. Dean.

Mrs. F. W. Loving's opening of new millinery goods attracted the attention and elicited the admiration of scores of ladies Monday and Tuesday. There are rare occasions for the ladies, and the handsomely filled show-cases, and attractive windows have been the cynosure of all female eyes this season especially, Mrs. Loving has revolutionized the trade in Marion. Nothing in the millinery line escapes her buying, and in her extensive stock can be found the latest fashions, the finest fabrics, all of the novelties. Now matter what your taste, how small or how large your purse, you can be supplied at this popular emporium of

THE NEEDFUL THING.

CHURCH MATTERS.

A Noted Evangelist Coming To Marion in November.

Rev. W. M. Hobson, a noted evangelist, of Morrilton, Ark., will begin a protracted meeting at the C. P. church at Marion, on the 3rd Sunday of November. He has the reputation of being a fine preacher, and a splendid revivalist and the church here is looking for a great meeting.

Rev. Jas. Price was engaged in a protracted meeting at Nedmore last week. There were five professors.

The Princeton Presbytery is in session at Weston this week.

Rev. W. R. Gibbs is assisting Rev. J. J. Franks, in a meeting at Dunn Springs this week.

Rev. Wm. Gregston has an interesting meeting at Cookseyville.

Rev. W. R. Gibbs and J. F. Price held an interesting meeting at Franks last week. Six conversions.

Rev. R. Roney and Baird, of Fulton, are holding a meeting at Deer Creek.

A Missing Husband.

The Evansville Courier of Sunday printed the following:

"Officer Neal Server, yesterday received a letter from Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes, dated at Weston, Ky., Sep. 29. She stated that last Monday her husband, J. L. Hughes, left Weston for Evansville with some stock, and that she had not seen or heard anything of him since. When he left he said he was coming to this city and that he would return home on Wednesday.

Mrs. Hughes is very uneasy about her husband and fears that he has taken ill, and requested the officer, that in case anything had occurred to the missing man to have him properly cared for and notify her."

Late reports from Weston are to the effect that Mr. Hughes turned up all right and is now at home.

Holiness Meeting.

Jas Johnson Accompanies the Deputy Sheriff of Pope County to Marion.

Several weeks ago the PRESS published an account of the feet following Jas Johnson, of Hurricane island, and his successful escape from the clutches of Constable Jacobs. Johnson was accused of increasing his wardrobe materially from the effects of his dead employer, Thos. Simpson, the Hurricane island farmer. When the Constable went after Jim, Jim run; he run until his hat, boots and coat come off and when last seen was still laying aside the things that doth best a racer. He has been in Pope county, Ill., since then; Sheriff Franks located him, and notified the officers of Pope county. Last Monday Deputy Sheriff Oscar Myers, of Pope county, turned Johnson over to the officers of this county, and he now languishes in jail, where, if he fails to fill a \$400 bond, he will remain until Circuit Court, before which he must appear and answer the charge of grand larceny.

Johnson shows an ugly scar on the calf of his leg, and says a bullet from constable Jacob's pistol made it.

Town Election.

Under the new charter the election of town officers, including Trustees, Police Judge and Marshal, will take place at the regular county election.

Tuesday after the first Monday in November Marion has all of these officers to elect at the coming election, and the newly elected officers enter upon the discharge of the duties of their office Jan. 1, 1894. The Trustees and office two years, the Police Judge and Marshal four years. The town is called upon to answer for treating the court with contempt. The master was adjusted by the witness paying the cost of attachment, the court fore-going its authority to assess a fine.

A Pastor Returned.

Rev. W. T. Dunn returned from the Annual Conference at Hardinburg of the M. E. church Saturday and will remain with his church in this and Caldwell county another year.

He probably has the pastoral care of more churches than any other minister in this section. His charges are Wilson's Chapel, Green's Chapel, Bethel, Bethany, Union and Popular Valley.

To make the entire circuit he has to travel a hundred miles, and it must all be done horse back. He is in the Green's Chapel, and the Presiding Elder is Rev. D. F. Kerr.

Bill Taylor Gone.

Bill Taylor, colored, belonged to the chain gang. Thursday he was sent with a teamster to get a load of brick, the teamster returned in due time, but Bill is still gone, and the citizens of Marion will pay a decent reward for guarantee that he will never return. When here he is generally bruised about the head, but nothing serious was entailed.

Fled to Wed.

On Sunday night of last week, Mr. Ham Vinson and Miss Minnie Crowell of Tradewell's neighborhood, overcame the paternal objections to their marriage by going without the knowledge or consent of Ned Crowell, the girl's father, to Nashville, where their happy hearts were united according to the forms of law. The PAGES extends congratulations.

Fight at Dycusburg.

At Dycusburg a few days ago, Sam Watson, a good farmer of that section, proceeded to adjust some differences with their fists. Watson was severely bruised about the head, but nothing serious was entailed.

Jesse Boyd Dead.

Jesse J. Boyd, an old and well known citizen of the Sheridan neighborhood, died Friday night. He moved from Livingston county to this several years ago, and has always been known as an industrious, honest man and a good citizen. Peace to his ashes.

Chataqua Circle.

An effort is being made to organize a Chataqua Literary and Scientific Circle in Marion to take the regular course of study and reading this winter.

If you want to join the circle, or desire other information, call on Rev. J.

COURT OF CLAIMS.

The Magistrates Meet, Confer and Enact.

The County Levy 25 cents Adver-torn, \$1.50 Peli.

Putusant to the law the court of claims convened at Marion Monday. The inclement weather kept some of the magistrates at home, but there were enough on hand to do the work, and they proceeded to business in a business way.

A sum not exceeding \$1800 was appropriated for building an iron bridge across Livingston creek, near Dycusburg. Theo. Vosler and S. H. Cassidy were appointed commissioners to confer with Lyon county in reference to the matter. \$100 was appropriated to make the approaches; the bridge is to be built 200 feet up the creek from present bridge.

P. S. Maxwell allowed \$13.00 for services as poor-house and bridge commissioner.

A sum sufficient for fencing the Piney road is charged upon motion of L. H. Paris was allowed.

W. E. Brown allowed \$18.00 for building bridge.

Messrs. Jas. M. Wilson, D. A. Flanary, F. D. Butler and A. B. Hodge were released from paying poll-tax.

The price for plow and team on road for the ensuing year was fixed at \$1.50 per day.

J. W. Crawford allowed \$15.00 for medical attention to prisoners.

The following pauper idiots were allowed \$20.00 each to assist in maintaining them:

Angeline Holman, Chas. Davenport, F. J. Holoman, S. J. Jones, Jno. Beabout, Kate Moore and Mary Travis.

J. T. Franks, sheriff, was allowed \$75.00 for serving road orders.

J. D. Hughes and Willie Lucas were released from road work.

Jno King allowed \$25.00 for bridge.

\$25.00 was appropriated for blasting rock on road near G. D. Kemp's. S. D. Flanary asked the court to appropriate a scraper for his section of the public road. The court declined.

A sum not exceeding \$300 was appropriated for painting the courthouse.

D. Woods, County Clerk, was allowed \$108.06 for crossing indexing.

Marion Bank allowed \$15.00 for cashing 1883 school drafts.

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